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GERMAN RIGHT WING CHECKED; HAS RETIRED ON ST. QUENTIN

AMERICANS IN PARIS

Cruiser Tennessee Is Preparing

Take 500 from Havre to England.

bied the state department tonight as follows:

"The cruiser Tennessee is at Havre preparing to embark 500 Americans for England. Special trains are arriving daily from Paris bringing about 500 Americans to the train, making the congestion here very great. The steamship Touraine sailed Sept. 3 with as many passengers as possible. No Americans are in danger. About 60 per cent, about whom inquiries have

per cent, about whom inquiries have been received have been found.

vation Army Contributes Its Quota

The Association of Rugby Football Organizations has cancelled all its matches, most of the players having joined the forces. Every player in last year's international team is either

have wolnttered for Red Cross work.

Travelers from Belgium Were Oblige to Turn Back,

London, Sept. 4, 10.30 p. m.—A despatch to Reuter's Telegram company from Ostend, fimed 7.45 this evening,

gem and Ghent to Ostend.

"At Ninove six German Uhlans who
were patrolling the country encountered a patrol of gendarmes and were
killed."

AND SALE OF OLEOMARGARINE

Six Officers of a Dairy Company in Columbus Indicted.

Columbus, O., Sept. 4.—Six officers and employes of the Capital City Dairy company of this city were indicted here today by a federal grand jury after an investigation of a charge that the company and its officers have been appared in the unleased in the

engaged in the unlawful manufacture and sale of artificially colored cleamar-garine on which no stamp tax was paid. The government charges that

the company owes more than \$2,000,000 in back taxes.

Like Old Time Friends in Steerage

of Spanish Steamer,

New York, Sept. 4.—With 200 French and German reservists ming-ling like old time friends in the steer-

ling like old time friends in the steerage, the Spanish steamer Montserrat reached New York today on her way to Cadiz, Spain, from Havana and Vera Cruz. The steamer will stay at a dock here until tomorrow, when she will sail for Cadiz. Meantime all the reservists are being kept aboard to avoid the possibility of American customs officials enforcing the neutrality laws.

RESERVISTS MINGLE WELL

FRENCH AND GERMAN

UNLAWFUL MANUFACTURE

IN ALOSTE AND TERMONDE

FIGHTING GOING ON

FLOCKING TO THE COLORS

ENGLISH ATHLETES ARE

Hordes of Russian Troops Have Gone Into France to Join the Allies Against the Germans

TERMONDE, BELGIUM, BOMBARDED BY GERMANS

Rumors of Another Engagement in the North Sea-Official Russian Statement Says That the Remnant of the Austrian Army Left After the Capture of Lemberg is No Longer of Value—Copenhagen Correspondent of the London Standard Says the Germans are Mourning 100,000 Dead-Fighting in Lorraine and Vorges Proceeds With Alternative Fortunes.

While the official announcements made by the British and French authorities last night were to the effect that there had been no change in the situation of the belligerent armies, unofficial reports said that the German right wing had been checked and forced to retire on St. Quentin, on the River Somme, 30 miles northwest of Laon tified town of Beigium sixteen miles east of Ghent. The town has a pop-ulation of about 10,000.

Leon.

The British official press bureau in its statement said a German movement was developing in an eastward and coutheastward direction. The exact geographical location of this movement was omitted.

Further confirmation was received in New York last night that hordes of Russian troops had gone into France to join the allies against the Germans. Their number was estimated at be-

dissian troops had gone into France of join the allies against the Germans. Their number was estimated at beween 70,000 and 80,000.

Newspaper reports to London last sight said the Germans were operating in the district between Alost and Termonde, Belgium, and that the later town was being bombarded.

That another naval engagement in the North sea has occurred seems to socially the statement by the London official press bureau. It said seven to state the exact number of Americans still in Paris, but it is estimated there are about between 1,000 and 2,000. They are being sent out as fast sea sible. Americans are still coming into Paris from the southern provents and also a few from Switzerland."

From Havre Consul Osbourne cabled the state department tonight as follows:

ing in the district between Alost and Termonde, Belgium, and that the latter town was being bombarded.

That another naval engagement in the North sea has occurred seems possible from a statement by the London official press bureau. It said seven German torpedo boat destroyers had arrived at Kiel in a damaged condition and that others were understood to have sunk "in the vicinity of the Kiel canal." In some quarters, however, it was suggested that the vessels may belong to the German force that was engaged in the recent fight with the British off Helgoland.

The official Russian statement concerning the capture of Lemberg, capital of Galicia, says that it is believed the remnant of the Austrian army left after the Russian attack is no longer of military value. In addition to the thousands of men killed, wounded or made prisoners, the Russians report that they took 200 guing from the Austrian army the Austrian the capture of the stook 200 guing from the Austrian army the Austrian the same they took 200 guing from the Austrian army the Austri

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trians.

Grand Duke Nicholas, the Russian commander-inchief, has ordered the captured territory in Austria-Hungary administered by the Russian general in command in that country.

The Bulgarian minister to Greece declares that Bulgaria has decided to maintain her neutrality until the end of the war.

A German aeroplane which tried to pproach Paris is reported to have seen smashed by the guns of two rench aviators in an aerial battle.

LEFT WING OF GERMAN

APPEARS TO NEGLECT PARIS la Pussuing Its Turning Movement and Has Passed Rheims.

Paris, Sept. 5, 1:55 a. m.—The war office at Bordeaux late last night sent the following communication to the press bureau here:

"On our left the enemy appears to neglect Paris to pursue its turning movement. It has reached La Ferte-Sous-Jouarre (department of Seine-Et-Marne, 11 miles east of Meaux) passed Rheims and descended on the west bank of the river in Argonne. This manoeuvre has not succeeded today more than on preceding days.

"On our right in Lorraine and in Vosges the fighting proceeds with alternative fortunes. Maubeuge, which is being violently bombarded, resists vigorously."

APPEAL FOR INCREASE

OF BRITISH LAND FORCES Premier Asquith Urged Every Able-Bodied Briton to Join the Colors.

London, Sept. 4, 4.53 p. m.—Pre-mier Asquith today made the first of a series of appeals for an increase of the British land forces. At a meeting at Guildhall he described the empire as involved in a bloody arbitrament of might versus right and urged every ablebodies Briton of military age to join the colors.

The navy, the premier indicated

Join the colors.

The navy, the premier indicated, was already doing its part. It had sealed up the fleet of Germany, he said, and was thirsty for a trial of strength

British warships, Mr. Asquith said, had hunted the German mercantile marine from the high seas and when the few German cruisers which still infested the distant ocean had been disposed of, as they would be very soon, the navy would have achieved for British and neutral commerce a security as complete as it had ever security as complete as it had ever enjoyed in days of unbroken peace. "We rely upon the navy," he said, "with the most absolute confidence to guard our shores against the possi-blifty of invasion and to seal up the sigantic battleships of the enemy in the inglorious seclusion of their own ports whence from time to time they furtively steal forth to sow the sea with murderous snares which are more full of menace to neutral shipping than to the British fleet, and while the British navy does all this it is thirsty for a trial of strength in a fair and open fight which is so far a fair and open fight which is so far prudently denied it."

London, Sept. 4, 4.25 p. m.—A despatch to Reuter's Telegram company from Ostend says it is announced there that the Germans are bombardthere that the Germans are bombard-ing Termonde (Dendermonde), a forpaid by the French or German consul at Vera Cruz.

Among the cabin passengers were sixteen Spanish nuns from Vera Cruz on their way to Madrid.

TROOPS IN BELGIUM American Tourist Saw Troop Trains in England With 70,000.

New York, Sept. 4.—Further corroboration of reports that the Russians have been landing troops on Belgian soil by way of England and Scotland reached New York today. Dr. Daniel Elliott of Newark, N. J., a passenger on the White Star liner Cedric, declared he witnessed a movement of troops trains conveying Russians through England. The Cedric arrived this afternoon from Liverpool and Queenstown with 1,450 passengers, including \$48 Americans. Of the latter 244 made the trip in the steerage.

Dr. Elliott would not say in what part of England he was when he saw the troop trains. He estimated the number of the Russians at more than 70,000 and declared they had come by way of north Scotland and were on their way to the English channel to embark for the continent.

ADVANCE OF GERMAN RIGHT WING CHECKED

Big Force of Cavalry Forced to Aban don Several Field Pleces.

Ostend, Belgium Sept. 4, via London, Sept. 4, 6.10 p. m.—The advance of the German right wing is reported checked. The Germans have been obliged to retire on St. Quentin. The correspondent says:

"It is learned on good authority that the advance movement of the German right wing has been checked for the last two days under pressure from the left wing of the allies. The enemy has been compelled to retire on St. Quentin. A big force of German caviry that was advancing on Compelgne was vigorously repulsed and forced to abandon several places of artillery. It appears that the attempt to envelope the allies left wing was frustrated." Washington, Sept. 4.—Assistant Secretary Breckenridge of the war department, who is in charge of the distribution of relief funds for Americans in Europe, cabled the war department tonight from Paris. His message follows:

MATERIAL AT LEMBERG Abandoned Wounded Their Headlong Flight.

London, Sept. 6, 746 p. m.—A des-ratch to the Reuter Telegram com-pany from Petrograd (St. Petersburg) says the following official statement has been given out at the Russian

capital:
"On September 2 Lemberg was closely surrounded by Russian troops and was captured with an enormous amount of war material. buildings in the town w All abandoned in the enemy's headlong London Sept. 4, 9.20 p. m.—The events in northern France and the campaign started by Premier Asquith and other leaders have given immense impetus to recruiting, and it is confidently predicted in official circles that Lord Kitchener soon will have the half million he desires.

Cricketers, football players and other athletes, who at the beginning of the war were inclined to keep their engagements, have now cancelled all their games and are flocking to the colors.

TRANSFERS OF FRENCH MONEY TO NEW YORK Cash Is Considered Safer Here Than

Paris Sept. 4, 5.27 p. m.—Heavy transfers of French money to New York is in progress. There are several reasons for this, among them the moderate interest paid on current accounts, which may be withdrawn at any time, a privilege not granted in any important European market. Then the price of exchange is regarded as certain to rise whatever course the in-ternational war takes. Altogether French cash is considered safer in the United States than in Europe.

serving the army or navy or in training for service. Every Salvation Army corps in the country has contributed its quots of men to the army or navy and other members of the organization ARMIES NEAR PARIS NOT IN CONTACT

French Troops Partially Sccessful in Vosges and Lorraine.

Paris, Sept. 4, 6.05 p. m.—An official communication issued by the military governor of Paris this afternoon says: "The movements of the opposing armies near Parls are being continued without contact taking place. In the district of Verdun the German forces have sustained some checks. In Lorraine and the Vosges our troops won says:

"At this moment fighting is proceeding in the district between Alost and Termonde, Belgium. The railway near Alost has been blown up. Travelers from Brussels were obliged to pass through Ninove and Alost and then return south to Denderleeuw, whence they proceeded by the way of Gottegem and Ghent to Ostend.

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FORCE OF GERMAN CAVALRY REPULSED AT COMPEIGNE Obliged to Abandon Several Pieces of

Artillery. London Sept. 4, 6.16 p. m.—A despatch to the Reuter Telegram compny from Antwerp reaching here by wy of Ostend says that it seems that the attempt of the Germans to velope the left wing of the allies een frustrated.

A big force of cavalry advancing on Compeigne has been vigorously re-pulsed and obliged to abandon sev-eral pieces of artillery.

Turks Pray for German Success London, Sept. 4, 4.20 p. m.—A despatch to the Reuter Evening Standard from Paris says it is learned that the Vienna papers have received a telefrom from Constantinople stating that rayers for the success of the erman arms have been orderd in all the Turkish mosques. The correspond-ent adds that this is believed to be the first time on record that Moslems have offered prayers on behalf of Chris-

Chile Studying Maritine Traffic. Santiago, Chile, Sept., 4.—Commercial and financial circles are studying the possibility of replacing the maritine tra c which has been suspended by the war with ships flying the Chilean or the nited States flag. At the same time the covernment is studying same time the government is studying facilities to further this project.

Bulgaria to Maintain Neutrality. the reservists are being kept aboard to avoid the possibility of American customs officials enforcing the neutrality laws.

The reservists were taken aboard at Vera Cruz and in nearly every case the fare from Vera Cruz to Cadiz was the war.

Cabled Paragraphs

Haiti Revolutionists Evacuate. Washington, Sept. 4.—The revolu-tionists in Haiti evacuated Opana-minthe on the night of September 2 and government troops have occupied the city, according to advices late to-day to the state department.

Duel with Sabres. Duel with Sabres.

Havana, Sept. 4.—A duel with sabres was fought today by Colonel Orestes Ferrara, the Liberal leader in the house of representatives, and Major Armando Andre, a conservative member of the house and editor of the newspaper El Dia. Both combatants were severely wounded.

London, Sept. 4, 3.48 p. m.—A despatch to the Reuter Telegram company from Rome Sept. 3 says: "According to a report from Servia the secret Servian society 'Naroda Obrana' is preparing a revolutionary movement in Bosnia and Herzogiovina (American provinces), which will break out simultaneously with similar movements in Bohemia and rungary."

Riotous Scenes at Dem. Convention

POLICE CALLED TO RESTORE ORDER AT HARTFORD.

LIGHTS TURNED OUT

for Baldwin and Ten for Mahan-Bitter Fight Over State Centra

Hartford, Conn., Sept. 4.—Amid riotous scenes the democratic town convention tonight elected ten delegates to the state convention pledged to support Governor Simeon E, Baldwin for

A Guide to the Buyers

Whatever the season may be, hot or cold, the wise business man knows the importance of maintaining his seiling efforts. In drumming up business he will do extraordinary things to make offerings exceptionally attractive both as to kind and price and it is a well established fact that the business man, of this or any other community, who will keep his trade upon a satisfactory basis, will solicit it by the most expeditious and least expensive method-newspaper advertis-

Buyers wait on the call of advertising to spend their money. They look for the summons to them in the columns of the newspaper. The newspaper is the instructor and director of the public and for a merchant to shut his eyes to this fact is costly blindness. Tell the public of this community of your offerings now and those to come. They can be shown what and where to buy and are anxious to be

can so many buyers he informed of your offerings than through The Builetin, the supreme medium of appeal in Eastern Connecticut. Get

Bulletin			Telegraph	Local	General	Total
Saturday,	Aug.	29.	. 177	159	1192	1528
Monday,	Aug.	31.	. 169	135	228	530
Tuesday,	Sept.	1.	. 165	118	216	499
Wednesday,	.Sept.	2.	. 185	170	259	614
Thursday,	Sept.	3.	. 193	178	313	684
Friday,	Sept.	4.	. 180	130	210	520
Totals .			.1069	888	2418	4375

300 AT WEYMOUTH Will Continue to Transport Americans from France to England.

London, Sept. 4, 10.40 p. m.—The failure of Southampton port officials to advise the officers of the American cruiser Tennessee that she could dock there was responsible for the unexpected landing of the cruiser at Weymouth today with 300 refugees from Havre. Application for permission to dook the cruiser at Southampton had been made and the failure to receive an answer forced the American boat an answer forced the American boat to select Weymouth for the landing of

an answer forced the American soat to select Weymouth for the landing of her passengers.

The Tennessee has now been ordered to act as a ferry from Hvre to England until all Americans have been transferred. The cruiser will bring a still larger crowd of citizens of the United States from Havre to Englans tomorrow. The landing place is not yet known although probably it will be Weymouth.

Americans who were brought across the channel by the Tennessee today adopted resolutions, thanking the officers of the warship for their thoughtful attention, and cheered the captain before leaving the ship. Officers surrendered their rooms to the women, and mattresses and blankets were provided on deck for the men.

About 1,000 Americans left Havre today. Judge Charles B. Howry and daughter of Washington were among those left behind. There is much uneasiness in Havre. asiness in Havre,

TO RETURN CARGOES TO AMERICAN SHIPPERS.

British Government to Send Goods Captured Aboard German Steamers.

Washington, Sept. 4.—The British government has taken steps to return promptly to American shippers cargoes captured aboard German steamers. Sir Cecil Spring-Rice, the British ambassador, delivered to Secretary Bryan today the following note expressing the attitude of his government:

Movements of Steamships. Liverpool, Sept. 3.—Arrived: Steamer St. Louis, New York.

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Queenstown, Sept. 3,—Arrived:
Steamer Baltic, New York.
Copenhagen, Sept. 4.—Sailed: Steamer Frederick VIII, New York.
Philadelphia, Sept. 4.—Arrived:
Steamer Verona, Genoa,
New York, Sept. 4.—Steamer Philadelphia, Liverpool for New York, signalled 420 miles east of Sandy Hook at 5.15 p. m. Dock 6 a. m. Saturday.
Montreal, Sept. 4.—Arrived: Steamer Royal Edward, Bristol,
Naples, Sept. 4.—Sailed: Steamer Re D'Italia, New York.

Chinaman Sentenced to Seven Years and \$10,000 Fine,

New York, Sept. 4.—Lee Sing, who pleaded guilty today to indictments charging him with having operated optum smoking plants, was sentenced y Judge Mayer to serve seven year in the federal penitentary at Atlanta, Ga., and also fined \$10,000. Lee's sen-tence is said to be the heaviest ever imposed under the new federal opium

Eleven Miners Entombed.

McAlester, Okla., Sept. 4.-Elever acclester, Okla. Sept. 4—Eleven miners were imprisoned tonight in the mine of the Union Coal Company at Adamson, Okla. as a result of a cavein which blocked the mine entrance. Rescuers were digging their way through the wall of an adjoining mine and it was believed the entrapped men would be rescued within a few hours.

delegates instructed to vote for gressman Bryan F. Mahan of

Wrangling from Start. The meeting was marked by wrang ling from the first nd at times the disorder became so great that the police were called in to preserve order. Once the lights were turned out, which added to the confusion. A detail of police, headed by a sergeant, finally

In addition to the deadlock over the there was a bitter fight over the naming of a state central committeeman from the second senatorial district. There were two candidates, Charles J. Dillon, the present incumbent, and J. P. Burns. Six ballots were taken and then Mr. Dillon, who was presiding, declared the meeting adjourned, without a choice being made. The convention was then reorganized, by the so-called Baldwin faction and Mr. Burns was declared elected. The delegates favorable to Mr. Dillon did not attend the reorganized meeting. The matter will go to the state convention for settlement.

Ten Delegates for Fisher.

Ten delegates were named to the state meeting pledged to the support of Professor Willard C. Fisher of Middetown, for the gubernatorial nomination, and the other ten will so uninstructed. Both factions agreed as to the congressional nomination, the twenty delegates being instructed to vote for the present incumbent, Augustine Lonergan.

w. J. Coleman was named state central committeeman from the first district and Ex-Senator Thomas J. Spellacy for the third district.

Bridgeport Solid for Baldwin, Bridgeport, Conn., Sept. 4.—Nineteen delegates to the state convention were selected at the city democratic convention here tonight. The entire delegation was pledged to the support of Governor Simeon E. Baldwin for the nomination for the United States sentership.

31 FOOD DEALERS INDICTED AT WASHINGTON. First Big Development of Investiga tion of High Prices of Food,

Washington, Sept. 4.—Thirty-one food dealers were indicted here today by a federal grand jury under the Sherman law on counts charging price fixing. It was the first big development in the investigation the department of justice is conducting at the direction of President Wilson against food dealers who are alleged to have seized upon the European war as a pretext to increase the cost of living. All the indicted men are local produce dealers or commission merchants. duce dealers or commission merchants, No nationally known firm was in-dicted.

At the department of fustice it was said government agents working in many states for evidence of price fixing were expected to make reports soon which the officials hoped would be the basis of other indictments.

Aeroplanes in Action.

Bordeaux, via London, Sept. 4, 9:08 p. m.—The Petite Gironde states that when a German Taube areoplane tried to approach Paris today it was attacked near Vincennes by two French airmen. The French aviators sent a charge of grape shot into the wings of the taube, smashing it to pieces.

Germans Mourning 100,000 Dead. London, Sept. 5, 1.05 a. m.—The Copenhagen correspondent of the Stan-dard says: "The German are mourn-ing 100,000 dead."

Condensed Telegrams

About 70 employes have been laid off by New York city's Park Depart-

The Senate considered the Rivers and Harbors Bill but came to no

Prince Albert second son of King George, will undergo an operation for appendicitis,

Japan has asked for additional space for her exhibits at the Panama-Pacific exposition.

Prince William of Weid who abdi-cated the Albanian throne left Du-canzo for Venice.

Thomas W. Gregory of Texas took the oath of office as Attorney-General of the United States. The Rev. Daniel Steel, first pres

ident of Syracuse University, died at Milton, Mass., aged 90 years. Burglars entered the home of J. W. Noobs at Garden City, L. L. and escaped with jewelry valued at \$800.

Hazel Kaufman, 13 years old, of Lewiston, Me., was burned to death while attempting to kindle a fire with

Rulof Peterson and Amos Veritzaon, colicemen of Rockville, Centre, L. I., coladed guilty to indictments charging

Secretary Daniels has approved the plan for six new torpedo boat des-troyers authorized by the naval ap-propriation bill

Anna Kinloth, employed as a maid in The Bronx, was killed by falling from the fourth story of an apartment while cleaning windows.

Fire in the oil fields at Cushing kla., started by lightning, destroyed 00,000 barrels of oil and several steel

tanks. The loss is \$400,000.

The estate of Mrs. Emily Huber, widow of Otto Huber, the brewer, is valued at \$6,000,000 and is divided equally among the five children. Miss Alsy Coburn, of Rockland, Me., was killed and three others injured when an electric railway car jumped the tracks at South Thomaston, Me.

President Wilson was invited to speak in the Indiana campaign and he replied that if he entered the cam-paign at all he would go to Indiana.

Orders have been issued that only American flags are to be used for decorations during the Mardl Gras-testivities at Coney Island September

George T. Maryo, the new Ambas-sador to Russia called at the White House to pay his respects to President Wilson, He will sail today on the Man-

President Wilson has arranged to meet a delegation of railroad presi-dents at the White House next Wed-

Hary Edelman, a chicken fancier of Allentown, Pa., was killed and seven others injured when their automobile was struck by a Philadelphia & Read-Congressman Thomas W. Hardwick was nominated by the Georgia State Democratic Convention to fill the un-expired term of the late United States

Convicts in Sing Sing prison are to have a gala time on Labor Day. Warden McCormick has arranged a programme of track and field events

Reports are published in the Italian press telling of the arrest of Herr von Bitzow, the German Consul at Tripoli, on a naccusation of favoring anti-

talian demonstrations among the na-

ives.

The branch of Fownes Bros., glove manufacturers at Gloversville, N. Y., have received orders to ship all stock to England. The factory at Gloversville, employing 450 persons, will be shut down.

Governor Glynn appopinted his le-gal adviser, John G. Saxe, as special commissioner to hear the charges of non-performance of duty filed against

Major C. P. Cramer, of Columbus, Ohio, was elected commander-in-chief at the convention of the United Span-ish War Veterans at Louisville, Scran-

The body of Pul G. Wilmot, of South Dakots, an undergraduate of Oxford who has been missing since July 23, was found by a guide at the bottom of precipice on the Goschener Alps in

witzerland. ABRUPT DECLINE

There was Absolute No Market for Continental Exchange.

New York, Sept. 4.—A notable event of the day was the abrupt decline witnessed in foreign exchange, London cables falling to 5.02 1-4 and demand to 5.01 1-2. These quotations represent declines of as much in five cents in the pound sterling from the highest rates of the week and are believed to result directly from the outcome of negotiations between New York city officials and a banking group, which is said to have agreed to finance all of New York's foreign obligations maturing between this and the expiration of the year.

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obligations maturing between this and the expiration of the year.

There was abbsolutely no market for the continental exchange, the situation in Paris precluding all possibility of exchange operations with that center. Efforts to negotiate 36 day bills on Berlin were unavailing. Call money was offered at six per cent by representatives of Canadian banks which stipulated, however, that fully fifty per cent, collaieral in excess of the loan would be required. As these terms were almost prohibitive little money was loaned at the six per cent, rate. The market for time loans continued nominal around 8 per cent.

Asks War Tax to Snstain Treasury

PRESIDENT MAKES APPEAL AT JOINT SESSION OF CONGRESS.

PROMPT ACTION NEEDED

as Would Begin to Yield at Once a Certain and Constant Flow.

Washington Sept. 4.—"We shall pay the bill, though we did not deliberately incur it", said President Wilson today, presenting before a joint session of congress his appeal for an emergency internal revenue measure to raise \$100,000,000, the government's probable loss in customs receipts because of the war in Europe. Prompt action was necessary, the president said, "in order to keep the treasury strong." His only suggestion as to the method for levying the tax was that sources be chosen that would "begin to yield at once and yield with a certain and constant flow."

Appeal Met Quick Action.

"The appeal met with quick action. As soon as the president had left the house chamber amidst an outburst of applause Speaker Clark referred the message to the ways and means committee. Democratic members of the committee met tonight at the call of the chairman representative Underwood and began consideration of plans to raise the additional revenue. Various members suggested sources which they believed would be properly subjected to additional taxation. On the list suggested were: Appeal Met Quick Action.

list suggested were: List to be Submitted Next Week.

Gasoline, a tax of one or two cents a gallon; railroad and amusement tickets, a tax of five to ten percent; beer, an increase of fifty cents a barrel; domestic wines, wilskey, an increase of fifteen cents a gallon; proprietary articles tobacco and tobacco products; chewing gum; soft drinks; playing cards.

The proposal to tax railroad tickets was ont received with enthusiasm by the members of the committee, although it was estimated that a five per cent tax would raise \$40,000,000.

agreed upon by elimination. This list will be submitted to the treasury department early next week for estimates as to the amount to be raised on each and the rate of taxation. When the bill is completed in committee it probably will be brought into the house under a special rule and hurried through.

President Wilson was given an entheriastic greeting from senators and representatives when he entered the housechamber escorted by Senators Kern, Clarke and Galligher and Representatives nderwood. Fitzgerald and Mann. The president said he had come to discharge a duty which he wished with all his heart he could avoid, but made it plain that additional revenue was necessary and that he performed his duty without hestistics or expectation.

Only Method to Raise Revenue Only Method to Raise Revenue.

Unforessen conditions occasioned by the conflict in Europe, he said, had created conditions which unless dealt with promptly might involve consequences of "the most embarrassing and deplorable sort". To borrow money the president urged was unwise; a bond issue would make an "untimely and unjustifiable" demand upon the money market leaving taxation as the only method left to raise revenue. In this situation he appealed to the "profoundly patriotic" people of the country to take up the burden.

OFFICERS ELECTED

BY GRAND ARMY Comrade David J. Palmer of Wash-

ington, lowa, Commander-in-chief. Detroit, Mich., Sept. 4.—Comrade David J. Palmer of Washington, Iowa, member of the Eighth and Twenty-fourth Iowa regiments in the Civil war, was this afternoon elected commander-in-chief of the Grand Army of the Republic at the closing session of the Asth matters!

of the 48th national encampment which has been in session a week. Washington, D. C., was unanimously chosen for the encampment place next Although there were several candi-

G. P. Cramer, of Columbus, selected commander-in-chief invention of the United Span-Veterans at Louisville, Scranwas chosen for the 1915 consumption of the United Spanswas chosen for the 1915 consumption of the United Spanswas chosen for the 1915 consumption of the United Spanswas chosen for the 1915 consumption of the Inventor of the Inventor of the Inventor of Construction of the Inventor of Construction of Construction of the Inventor of Construction of C

the aged soldiers. Another resolution adopted unanimously opposed any change in the national flag.

One death and one man said to be dying was the toll of the encampment up to tonight. A veteran thought to be William Weston of Dexter, Mich., dropped dead on the street today and John Marshall of Lima, Ohio taken sick yesterday, was not expected to recover. His relatives have been notified.